[XX] Power of Attorney

Please publish the assignee data with the application.

37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

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| 10. [ ] English translation Document (if applied             | cable)                       |                          |                        |   |
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| 11. [] Information Disclosure Statement                      | [] Copies of IDS Citat       | ions                     |                        |   |
| 12. [ ] Preliminary Amendment                                |                              |                          | *                      |   |
| 13. [XX] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)                  | )                            |                          |                        |   |
| 14. [ ] Small Entity Status is claimed.                      |                              |                          | • 4.                   |   |
| 15. [XX] Claim for Convention Priority                       | [1] Certified copy of        | Priority Document is     | enclosed.              | 7                                       |
| a. Priority of <u>Japanese</u> Application No. <u>2002-2</u> | 223343 filed on July 31, 200 | 2 is claimed under 35 US | SC 119.                | * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *   |
| [ ] Other  |                              |                          |                        |   |
| 17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check                       | . •                          | ply the requisite inform | nation:                |   |
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[XX] A check in the amount of \$1336.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee of \$750.00; \$378.00 for 21 additional claims; \$168.00 for 2 additional independent claims and the assignment recordation fee of \$40.00.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340 in the total amount of \_\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee and the \_\_\_\_\_ assignment recordation fee. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

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